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| Ser. No.: 10/749,786 | Filed: December 30, 2003 | Examiner: Hung S. Bui |
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| Art Unit: 2841 Title: ANTI-STRIP SCREW BOSS | | |

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | Claims remaining after amendment | - | Highest Number Previously Paid For | No. of Extra Claims Present | Rate | Additional Rate |
| Total Claims | 28 | Minus | 28 | 0 | X 50 | \$0.00 |
| Indep. Claims | 7 | Minus | 5 | 2 | X 200 | \$400.00 |
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| | No additional fee(s) is/are believed due. However, if this is not the case, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees to Deposit Account No. 24-0037. | | | | | | |
| \boxtimes | Payment for the filing of this Amendment in the amount of \$400.00 is authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037. | | | | | | |
| | Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § □1.136(a) and request(s) a -month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Payment for the filing of the above-requested extension of time fee is authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037. | | | | | | |
| | | | | Respectful | ly submitted, | | |
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| | deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below. | | | |
| transmitted to the USPTO by facsimile in accordance with 37 CFR 118 on the date indicated below. | | | | |
| Express Mail Label No.: Signature: | | | | |
| Date: May 22, 2007 | Name: Theresa L. Lucas | | | |



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTOR(S) Darrell R. Finneman, et al.

TITLE **ANTI-STRIP SCREW BOSS**

APPLICATION NO. 10/749,786

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EXAMINER Hung S. Bui

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AMENDMENT D

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed April 30, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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